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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Michael J. Munchhof, et al. :

APPLICATION NO.: 10/667,187

: Examiner: OWENS, AMELIA A

FILING DATE: September 17, 2003

: Group Art Unit: 1625

TITLE: NOVEL OXAZOLE AND THIAZOLE
COMPOUNDS AS TRANSFORMING
GROWTH FACTOR (TGF) INHIBITORS

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In full response to the October 1, 2004 final Office Action, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

An Amendment in response to the September 2, 2004 Office Action is due prior to December 2, 2004. Therefore, the present Amendment is being timely filed.